

HOUSE BILL 1594

By Floyd

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2,  
Chapter 3, relative to times of elections.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-3-201, is amended in subsection (a) by deleting the second sentence and by substituting instead the language, "All polling places in counties in the eastern time zone shall close at nine o'clock p.m. (9:00 p.m.) prevailing time and polling places in counties in the central time zone shall close at seven o'clock p.m. (8:00 p.m.) prevailing time." and is further amended in subdivision (b)(1) by deleting the language "fifteen (15) days", and by substituting instead the language "thirty (30) days".

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011, and shall apply to elections held on or after that date.